SYNOPSIS



House Bills and Joint Resolutions 2017 Maryland General Assembly Session

January 12, 2017 Schedule 2

PLEASE NOTE: January 24 – Bill request deadline.

February 10 – Bill introduction deadline.

All bills must be given to the Chief Clerk by 5:00 P.M. on Thursday,

February 9.

As required by House Rule 32(b), bills introduced after this date will be referred to the House Rules and Executive Nominations

Committee.

HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED JANUARY 12, 2017

HB 69 Delegate Cullison, et al

CREATION OF A STATE DEBT – MONTGOMERY COUNTY – PARKLAND POOL RENOVATION

Authorizing the creation of a State Debt not to exceed \$35,000, the proceeds to be used as a grant to the Board of Directors of the Parkland Pool Association, Inc. for the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of the Parkland Pool, located in Montgomery County; providing for disbursement of the loan proceeds, subject to a requirement that the grantee provide and expend a matching fund; etc.

EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2017 Assigned to: Appropriations

Department of Legislative Services

HB 70 Delegate Cullison

STATE BOARD OF NURSING – DISCIPLINARY PROCESS AND AUTHORITY – REVISIONS

Authorizing a disciplinary committee of the State Board of Nursing to grant and deny licenses and certificates and take specified disciplinary action against licensees and certificate holders; authorizing the Board to establish one or more disciplinary committees to conduct specified hearings and issue final decisions or orders under specified provisions of law; authorizing the Board to delegate authority to conduct a hearing and issue a final decision or order to a disciplinary committee; etc.

EMERGENCY BILL

HO, Various Sections - amended and §§ 8-101(d-1) and 8-503.1 - added Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

HB 71 Delegate Luedtke, et al

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – CLASS 8 FARM BREWERY LICENSE HOLDERS – FOOD SERVICE

Repealing the restriction on a holder of a Class 8 farm brewery license to sell or serve only specified types of food; and allowing the holder to sell and serve food if the holder is licensed to operate a food establishment.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017

AB, § 2-210 - amended

Assigned to: Economic Matters

HB 72 Delegate Luedtke

ELECTION LAW - FAIR CAMPAIGN FINANCING FUND

Requiring the State Board of Elections to determine before each gubernatorial election if the balance in the Fair Campaign Financing Fund is sufficient to provide a full public contribution for two gubernatorial tickets in the primary election and one gubernatorial ticket in the general election; requiring the Governor to include a specified appropriation in the budget bill if an insufficiency exists; requiring an eligible gubernatorial ticket to receive a public contribution in the form of a single payment; etc.

This bill requires a mandated appropriation in the annual budget bill.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2017

EL, §§ 15-103, 15-106(d), and 15-108 - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

HB 73 Delegate Luedtke

ELECTION LAW – ELECTION JUDGES – MINIMUM AGE AND MINIMUM COMPENSATION

Authorizing a minor who is at least 16 years old and who is a registered voter to be appointed and serve as an election judge; prohibiting a local board of elections from paying an election judge less than a specified minimum wage; and making a conforming change.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2017

EL, §§ 10-202(a) and 10-205 and LE, § 3-210(c) - amended

Assigned to: Ways and Means

HB 74 Delegate Grammer

MARYLAND CONSOLIDATED CAPITAL BOND LOAN OF 2014 – BALTIMORE COUNTY – CHESAPEAKE HIGH STADIUM

Amending the Maryland Consolidated Capital Bond Loan of 2014 to remove the matching fund requirement for specified grants for Chesapeake High Stadium.

EMERGENCY BILL

Chapter 463 of the Acts of 2014, § 1(3) Item ZA02(AC) and Item ZA03(AA) - amended

Assigned to: Appropriations

HB 75 Delegate Grammer

EDUCATION – GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS – FINE ARTS

Specifying that a requirement to earn a credit in fine arts in order to graduate from a public high school may be satisfied by completing a course in computer science, multimedia, or computer programming.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017

ED, § 7-205.4 - added

Assigned to: Ways and Means

HB 76 Delegate McCray, et al

BALTIMORE CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS – CAPITAL PROJECT SCORING SYSTEM

Requiring the Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners, on or before January 1, 2018, to develop and implement a scoring system for evaluating projects that serve the long—range plans of the Baltimore City Public School System, apply the scoring system to specified projects, publish project scores on the Baltimore City Public School System's Web site, and report project scores to the General Assembly; requiring the board, on or before January 1, 2020, and every 2 years thereafter, to update specified project evaluations; etc.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017

ED, § 4-320 - added

Assigned to: Appropriations

HB 77 Delegate Chang

LEAN GOVERNMENT ADVISORY BOARD – ESTABLISHMENT

Establishing the Lean Government Advisory Board; providing for the composition, chair, and staffing of the Board; requiring the Board to meet at least quarterly and to apply lean principles to analyze the operations and organization of State government, identify specified inefficiencies, and recommend improvements to increase State government efficiency and improve the delivery of State government services; requiring the Board, beginning December 1, 2018, to annually report its recommendations to the General Assembly; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2017

SG, §§ 9-3301 through 9-3304 - added

Assigned to: Health and Government Operations